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SUBJECT:.38 CALIBER REVOLVERS SPARE PARTS

REFS: (A) STATE 148500; (B) JAKARTA 7951; (C) JAKARTA 8416

1. WE APPRECIATE EMBASSY'S COMMENTS IN REF. C ON PENDING MUNITIONS CONTROL CASE FOR .38 CALIBER REVOLVERS SPARE PARTS. AS STATED IN REF. A, DEPARTMENT IS STILL CONSIDERING COLT'S APPLICATION TO EXPORT 3,000 SPARE PARTS KITS TO THE GOI. IF THE ULTIMATE USER IS POLICE OR PARAMILITARY ORGANIZATION CHARGED WITH INTERNAL SECURITY FUNCTIONS, THEN PD-30 ON HUMAN RIGHTS WILL NECESSARILY APPLY, AND WILL HAVE TO BE CONSIDERED IN MAKING A FINAL DETERMINATION. IT IS, THEREFORE, ESSENTIAL THAT WE KNOW WHO THE END USER IS.

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2. REF. B STATES THAT NATIONAL POLICE IS "MOST LIKELY INTENDED RECIPIENT OF THESE KITS." AS COLT REPRESENTATIVES HERE CLAIM THAT THE ARMY IS THE FINAL USER, WE WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY VERIFICATION, AS WELL AS ANY ADDITIONAL VIEWS ON THE MATTER DEEMED APPROPRIATE.

3. PARTICULARS OF THE COLT APPLICATION ARE AS FOLLOWS:
MUNITIONS CONTROL CASE 55768; 3,000 SPARE PARTS KITS OF
43 ITEMS EACH FOR COLT D-FRAME .38 SPECIAL REVOLVER FOR USE

BY DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AND SECURITY; FOREIGN CONSIGNEE
IS DEPARTMENT PERTAHANAN DAN KEAMANAN.

4. ANOTHER MUNITIONS CONTROL CASE WHICH HAS GIVEN US
SOME PAUSE IS A REQUEST BY ACCURACY SYSTEMS TO EXPORT
TWO SNIPER RIFLES WITH SILENCERS AND LASER SIGHTS, ALONG
WITH 25,000 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION, THROUGH THE INDONESIAN
DEFENSE ATTACHE HERE TO THE GOI FOR "MILITARY USE." WE
WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION EMBASSY MIGHT HAVE ON
THIS REQUEST AND, OF COURSE, EMBASSY VIEWS ON IT. VANCE

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